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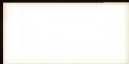


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All that glitters...
Even the stars
All things precious...
Even your life

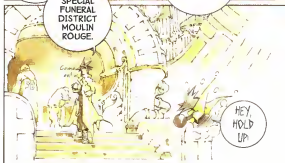
180, 340T - Love Tax Ender

24 years after



IT'S BEEN CALLED THAT
EVER SINCE
THE GREAT
FIRE HERE 24
YEARS AGO.

WHY THE
NAME MOULIN
ROUGE, JING?



SPECIAL
FUNERAL
DISTRICT
MOULIN
ROUGE.

HEY,
HOLD
UP!

Moulin Rouge

et le taxe sur l'amour

VIOLETTE!!!



kingofbanditjing

bottled

**VIOLET!
VIOLET!**

PLEASE,
NOT THAT...
GOD,
ANYTHING
BUT
THAT...

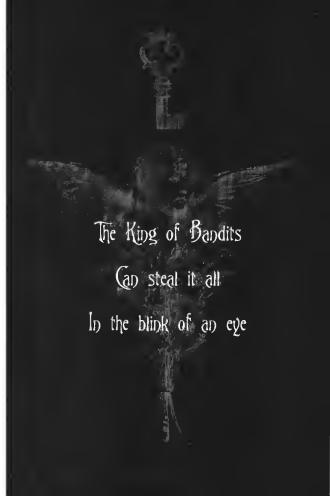
**VIIIOLET!
VIIIOLEEET!!**

...VI--
?!!

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The King of Bandits

Can steal it all

In the blink of an eye

Once upon a midnight dreary a thief named Jig was weak and weary,
Many strange and forgotten lands he did traverse and did explore.
His occupation was a bird, an odd one name of *Wig*
Who possessed a strange location, a less than honest occupation.
"Wake up, Jig!" *Wig* muttered, "at around is lost glory!"

Thus this cheap bird's willing, changed Jig's sadness into willing
As he set about to do the thing he truly did adore.
So the address set proudly on Jig's head lost sang loudly
While his lovely eyes explored the treasure stashed upon the floor.
One more thing that *Wig* did utter his feathers all a quaky flutter
And his voice commenced a terrible delirium
Quoth the address, "Let's sing some more!"





DON'T
BE
RIDICULOUS!
WE MAY BE
MARRIED,
BUT...

...WHAT
GIVES YOU
THE IDEA
WE'RE IN
LOVE?!

JING: KING OF BANDITS

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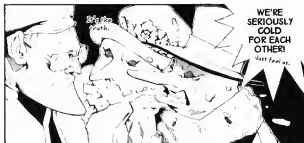
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YOU MUST
FIRST SUBMIT
TO A LOVE
INSPECTION.
STAND WITH
YOUR FEET IN
THE OUTLINES.



THIS
MEASURES
THE TWINKLE
IN YOUR
EYE TO
DETERMINE
YOUR
FEELINGS.





THANKS
FOR
ASKING!!



HUH?!



AS YOU
TESTED
POSITIVE
FOR LOVE,
PLEASE FILL
OUT THIS
LOVE TAX
FORM...



ANIMAL
LOVE IS NOT
RECOGNIZED
UNDER OUR
LAW.

YUP I CAN
FEEL MYSELF
FALLING IN
LOVE WITH
YOU!

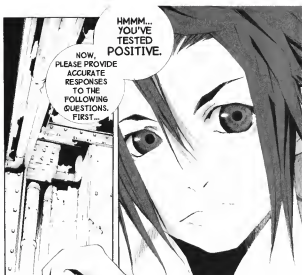
WHY DON'T YOU TAKE
OFF THOSE GLASSES
SO I CAN SEE YOUR
PRETTY FACE?



LOVE TAX?!
ANY PRICE IS WORTH
IT, IF I GET YOUR
LOVE AS THE RECEIPT



WELL,
YOU SEEM
BUSY...



HMMM...
YOU'VE
TESTED
POSITIVE.

NOW,
PLEASE PROVIDE
ACCURATE
RESPONSES
TO THE
FOLLOWING
QUESTIONS.
FIRST...



ARE YOU
CURRENTLY
ROMANTICALLY
ATTRACTED TO
A MEMBER OF
THE OPPOSITE
SEX?



L-LEGGIO!

YOU STUPID
BUREAUCRAT!
I'M TRYING TO
PAY THE TAX!

AFFIRMATIVE!

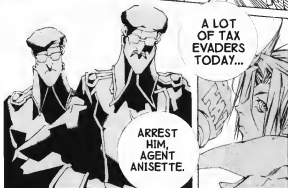
CRASH



HEY, JUNG
GET ME
A LAWYER
A LAWYER

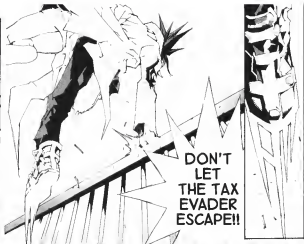


SURE
THING!

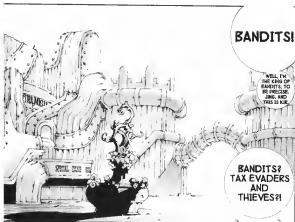


A LOT
OF TAX
EVADERS
TODAY...

ARREST
HIM,
AGENT
ANISETTE.







BANDITS!

WELL, I'M
THE KING OF
BANDITS. TO
BE PRECISE,
JING, AND
THIS IS KIR.

**BANDITS?
TAX EVADERS
AND
THIEVES?**



THAT!

THAT...?

HOW MUCH
MISCHIEF
WILL YOU
COMMIT
HERE? WHAT
DO YOU PLAN
TO STEAL?



HEY BARE, HOW
ABOUT YOU AND
I AVOID TAXES
ALL NIGHT?

HEEEEEEY!
I SAVED
YOUR
GLASSES!



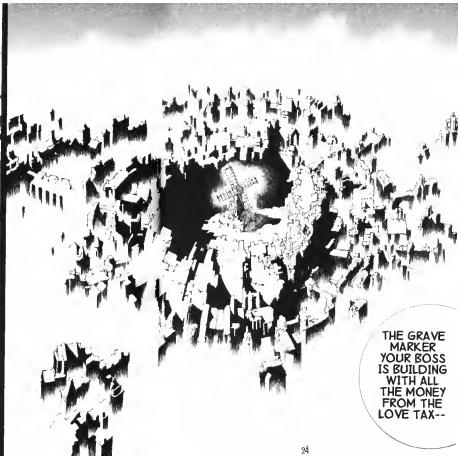
WHAT
KIND OF
PEOPLE
ARE YOU?!

Giggles?

THIS FOG
SHOULD HIDE
US FOR A
WHILE.

A close-up of a character with spiky, light-colored hair and a serious expression. The character is looking slightly to the right.

THE
PARFAIT
D'AMOURI



THE GRAVE
MARKER
YOUR BOSS
IS BUILDING
WITH ALL
THE MONEY
FROM THE
LOVE TAX--





THAT'S
RIGHT!
HE'S
RIGHT
HERE!!

HEEEY!
I'VE GOT
THE TAX
EVADER!!



THIS
THING
WON'T
COME
OFF!

OF
COURSE
NOT!
YOU'RE
UNDER
ARREST!



HERE COMES
THE PADDY
WAGON. IT'S
THE END OF
THE ROAD
FOR YOU...

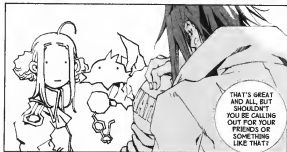


SKWII



STOP IT.

THEN HOW
ABOUT ARRESTING
ME, TOO?



THAT'S GREAT
AND ALL, BUT
SHOULDN'T
YOU BE CALLING
OUT FOR YOUR
FRIENDS OR
SOMETHING
LIKE THAT?



...THERE
SURE ARE
A LOT OF
COUPLES...

SEEMS
LIKE...

etc.



BON
BROUILLARD!
FINE FOG,
NO?



Love Tex Reader - END



WHERE
ARE
WE ALL
GOING?



JING,
SOMETHING'S
MOVING
ALONGSIDE US.

WHAT MASS IS
HELD IN THE
MIDDLE OF
THE NIGHT?



AHH!
IT
STOPPED!



SOMETHING
REALLY BIG!

Don SEOT - Mass in the Fog



The sad Moutin Rouge...

Everyone who travels in these parts calls it so. That city is also called the *Special Funeral District*, and the whole city itself was built to grieve over the death of a single girl.

It is a unique city.


The origin of the name, which means "Red Windmill," comes from when a great fire sent the city's symbol, The Great Windmill, up in a red blaze.

Currently rumors abound that the leader of the city lost his fiancée in the windmill, and also that the great fire was arson started by a man who was rejected by the aforementioned fiancée.

And, because this city has a special tax called the "love tax," those passing through who are in love must be prepared to pay the appropriate amount.

Also, take notice that if you are married— you will be assumed to be "in love" regardless.

(How a Blind City Works, 2nd Edition)



Even in the glove clenched
"in my fist is a rose."



A MOBILE
CHURCH...
I'VE HEARD OF
THIS BEFORE.

NOW
HURRY!
BEFORE
THE TWO
ANGELS
LEAVE!



BUT...
WHAT IS
IT FOR?

...?!



F-FATHER?!





WHY
DON'T
YOU
DANCE,
TOO?
♥♥

LOVE THE ONE
YOU'RE WITH!!



THIS IS
ZERO LOVE!
DON'T
MOVE,
EVADERS!

ACTUALLY,
I'VE HEARD
RUMORS
THERE'S
THESE
MASSES...

EEEEK!!

DEAREST!!

AAAH!!!

AAH
!!!!

...HELD IN
A MOBILE
CHURCH, THAT
ARE SECRETLY
GROUP LOVE
FESTS...

I'VE
NEVER
HEARD OF
THIS BEFORE!

WHAT
IS THIS
CHURCH?!

THAT
MUST BE
WHAT
THIS IS!







NOW, LET'S
FIND SOME-
WHERE TO
CATCH SOME
SHUTEYE.



BON
BROUILLARD
TO THE
BOTH
OF YOU!



ROOOOOCK-
A-BYYYYYEE!

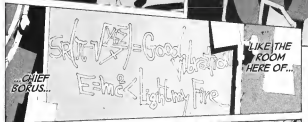
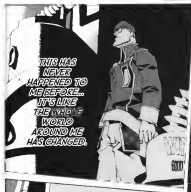
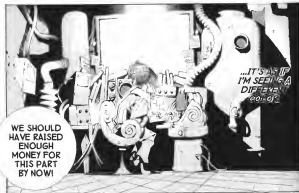
AN EAR-
DRUM-
BURSTING
LULLABY!



WHAT?
HEY, WAIT...
AHHH...



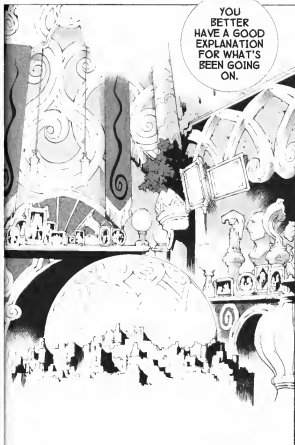
THE MASS
IS OVER.
COME
THIS WAY!



A
poet
who
bought
words

long
ago,
there
was
a
poet

YOU
BETTER
HAVE A GOOD
EXPLANATION
FOR WHAT'S
BEEN GOING
ON.



Mass in the Fog - END

The poet had
already bought
them all up

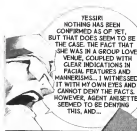
(After Unknown)

Time passed; his
wealth ran out
The poet eventually
died a sad end
That sunny morning,
many tears were shed
Many funeral songs
were played
But there were no
words of condolence

The poet
bought up as
many words
as he could
But could not
find one that
fit perfectly

One day the poet
met a village girl
And wanted a
word that could
express to her
The gallop of his
heart and the
tremolo that
overcame his brain

long ago, there
was a poet
A poet who
bought words
By arranging the
beautiful words
he purchased
He gained the fame
that allowed him to
avoid loneliness
And the wealth to live
a trouble-free life



YESSIR!
NOTHING HAS BEEN
CONFIRMED AS OF YET,
BUT THAT DOES SEEM TO BE
THE CASE. THE FACT THAT
SHE WAS IN A GROUP LOVE
VENUE, COUPLED WITH
CLEAR INDICATIONS IN
FACIAL FEATURES AND
MANNERISMS... I WITNESSED
IT WITH MY OWN EYES AND
CANNOT DENY THE FACTS.
HOWEVER, AGENT ANSETTE
SEEMED TO BE DENYING
THIS, AND...

I HEAR ONE
OF OUR TAX
AGENTS MAY
BE A TAX
EVADER?



EITHER
WAY,
CAPTURE
HER AND
THE TAX-
EVADING
BOY AS
SOON AS
POSSIBLE.



THANK YOU
FOR THE
REPORT.
KEEP UP
THE GOOD
WORK!



JET 27!

Huh...

YES?!



20th SHOT - Heretaly Brokenhearted



IF ONLY
EVERYTHING
WOULD
ADVANCE AT
THE SPEED
OF GEARS...

...JUST
LIKE
YOU...

...THEN I
WOULDN'T...

...HAVE
TO BE
BUILDING
THIS...



HUMANS
SURE ARE
MYSTERIOUS
CREATURES,
JET 27.

SKAT

CHIEF
BORUS!



LIFE MOVES
AT THE SPEED
OF SOUND,
BUT WE FALL
IN LOVE AT
THE SPEED
OF LIGHT.



I'M JEALOUS
THAT YOU
AREN'T
CONTROLLED
BY LOVE.

TH-
THAT'S...



THE
CREATOR OF
THE MOULIN
ROUGE,
BORUS, HAD
A FIANCEE 24
YEARS AGO.



HER
NAME WAS
VIOLET.



BORUS
WAS A GOOD,
YOUNG ASPIRING
ARCHITECT WHO
BURNED WITH
A PASSION TO
IMPROVE HIS
CITY.

EVERY DAY
THE COUPLE
WOULD MEET
AT THE BIGGEST
WINDMILL IN
THE CITY...

...WHICH
WAS ALSO
BORUS'S
FIRST
PROJECT.

HOWEVER...



SO WHO'S
RESTING IN
THAT GRAVE,
JING?



CALM
DOWN, KIR.
I'LL TELL
YOU THE
STORY.



I KNOW THE ONE
SLEEPING HERE IS
OUR PROTECTOR.



HEY! YOU'RE
GONNA DOB A
GRAVE?
That's
terrible!



HE NEVER
EVEN FOUND
THE BODY OF
HIS BELOVED.



AFTER THAT,
BORUS CREATED
THE FUNERAL
DISTRICT HERE
AND INSTITUTED
THE LOVE TAX.



HE'S PUTTING ALL
THE MONEY INTO
CONSTRUCTING A
HUGE GRAVEYARD
WHERE THE
WINDMILL ONCE
STOOD.



HE'S EVEN
NAMED IT
PARFAIT
D'AMOUR.



EVERYTHING
BURNED
BEFORE
BORUS'
EYES.



MOST OF
THE CITY WAS
BATHED IN RED
FLAMES--EVEN
VIOLET, WHO
WAS TRAPPED
IN THE
WINDMILL.



ONE DAY,
THE CITY
WAS
STRUCK BY
A GREAT
FIRE.

"A MAN WHO
LOST THE
ONE HE LOVES
COVERED THE
CITY WITH
FOG FROM A
SORROWFUL
SIGH..."

SOME IN THE
CITY EVEN SAY
THINGS LIKE--

...SO THAT
EVERY FLAME
IS PUT OUT,
EVEN THAT
OF LOVE."

THAT'S WHAT
THE FUNERAL
DISTRICT IS
ALL ABOUT...

...AND
THAT'S
WHY...

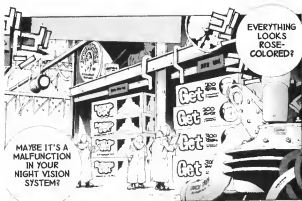
SLIP

THAT'S
RIGHT...

HERE, EVEN
THE FOG IS
PART OF CHIEF
BORUS'S PLAN.

THE FOG IS
MADE OF DLDM
PARTICLES
THAT PROTECT
THE CITY FROM
FIRES.

IT'S MEANT
TO PREVENT
ANOTHER
TRAGEDY
LIKE WHAT
HAPPENED 24
YEARS AGO.





YEAH...
THAT'S
TRUE...

WELL, WITH
YOUR GLASSES
EVERYTHING
MUST BE IN
BLACK AND
WHITE.



WELL,
I'LL AT
LEAST FIX
YOUR
COLOR
CORRECTION.



...BUT IT'S THE
SAME FOR
EVERYONE
READING THIS
MANGA... OKAY,
HOW'S THIS?



...AND
IT'S
NONE
OF
THEM!



THE ANSWER
IS SIMPLE...

YOU FOOL!
YOU CAN'T
CAUSE THAT
NO MATTER
WHAT YOU
DO TO THE
LENSES!



**BEEP!!
BEEP!!**



IT'S WHAT
THEY CALL LA
VIE EN ROSE.



YOU HAD
A GUN
THIS
WHOLE
TIME?



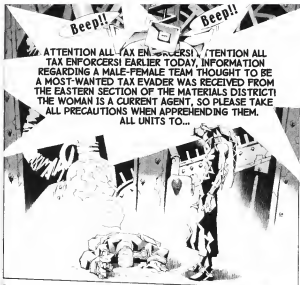
BAA...



IT'S A
TRANQUILIZER,
BUT IT'LL DO.
IT LOOKS
LIKE YOU
COULD USE
SOME SLEEP
ANYWAY...



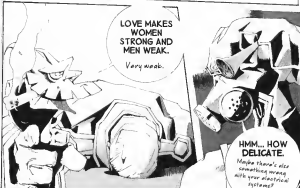
YOU, ON
THE OTHER
HAND, MUST
ALWAYS
REST EASY.



Beep!!

Beep!!

ATTENTION ALL TAX ENFORCERS! ATTENTION ALL
TAX ENFORCERS! EARLIER TODAY, INFORMATION
REGARDING A MALE-FEMALE TEAM THOUGHT TO BE
A MOST-WANTED TAX EVADER WAS RECEIVED FROM
THE EASTERN SECTION OF THE MATERIALS DISTRICT!
THE WOMAN IS A CURRENT AGENT, SO PLEASE TAKE
ALL PRECAUTIONS WHEN APPREHENDING THEM.
ALL UNITS TO...



LOVE MAKES
WOMEN
STRONG AND
MEN WEAK.

Very weak.

HMM... HOW
DELICATE.

*Maybe there's also
something wrong
with your electrical
system?*



WHAAA?!



PLUS I'LL
THROW IN AN
EXTRA ARM
FOR FREE!



THAT SURE
WAS A LONG
HANDSHAKE,
BUT...SEE YA
LATER!



WATCH
YOUR
MOUTH!



JEEZ...

STOP
RESISTING
AND JUST
PUT YOUR
HANDS UP.



ALL RIGHT,
SORRY,
I'LL RAISE
THEM
RIGHT
NOW.



I PROMISE
I'LL DO
PLENTY OF
SLEEPING
AFTER I
DIE.

SORRY,
BUT I HAVE
WORK FIRST
THING IN THE
MORNING.

WOW,
THAT
REALLY
WOKE
ME UP!





...meanwhile, the Highhatto clan, who lives in the northeast of Rogabillae, are only allowed to learn 212 vocabulary words due to a strict law. (This is the same amount as the number of gods they believe in.) Because of this, they must be creative when referring to anything complicated.

For example, a "speech" is "deep singing," and "harvest" is expressed as "cry and cut."



And "loving each other" becomes "holding far-away arms."

(From Overthrowing What The People and Religions of Rogabillae)

...YOUR
NEXT HOME
IS BEHIND
BARS OR...

LOVE IS
OVER?!
WELL, EITHER
WAY...

OH...?





A-AMIZETTE!



KYAAA!

PARTY'S
OVER--TIME
TO PAY
THE PIPER.
♥



W-WAAAAH!



...ABOVE
THE
CLOUDS!

AAAAHI
WATCH
OUT!

HEY, JING!
GAAAH!



HUH...
WHAT?



DAMN!



HE'S
ESCAPED
INTO
SAMPTON!

HE...



JEEZ,
TALK
ABOUT
TAX
THIEVES.



HEY, BUDDY!
TIME FOR
A KIR
ROYALE!



KIR!
WHERE
ARE YOU,
KIR?!



EVERYTHING'S
COVERED
WITH
STICKERS...
HUH?

THIS LOVE
HAS BEEN
PAID FOR?



...YOU'LL BE
GETTING
A DEATH
EXEMPTION
INSTEAD!



GUESS
IT'S TIME
I REVEAL
MY FINAL
TRUMP
CARD.

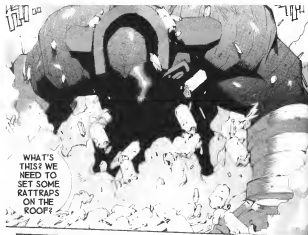


YOU GOT
HIT BY THE
TRANQUILIZER!!

I DON'T
REMEMBER
ARRANGING
A WAKE-UP
CALL...

IF YOU'RE
GOING TO
CONTINUE
TO DENY THE
CHARGES...

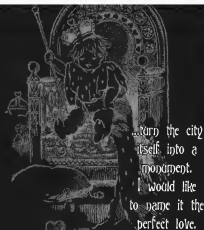




WELL, THE RAT MIGHT NOT LAST MUCH LONGER ANYWAY.

Love Page - END





(Tax code entry
concerning the Parfait
d'Amour Entrance)

...turn the city
itself into a
monument.
I would like
to name it the
perfect love.

Nobody doubts the value of love.
And the ancients imposed taxes
on all things that are good.

Money, land, certain activities, information...
Almost everything that humans put worth in.
That's why I have decided to create a love tax,
in order to praise love and to carve
its worth into our hearts.

This of course is not to ban or limit love.
People have respect or certain awe for love.
This tax is simply to express the greatness of love.
The money raised will help create what will become
a symbol of the city...
No, what will eventually...



SHUT UP,
YOU
BLABBER-
MOUTH
GUN!

THIS IS
NO TIME
TO BE
TALKING
ABOUT
LOVE!

YOU CAN'T
DENY LOVE.
THAT'S WHAT
THEY SAY
BACK HOME...



HEY,
KIRI,
KIIRII!

THIS IS NO
TIME TO BE
DREAMING
ABOUT
LOVE...



SORRY,
KIR.

*Love is
often
painful.*

HE'S
JUMPING
DOWN.
MAKE A
FLYING
CATCH!

HEY, HERE'S AN
IMPORTANT
WITNESS. HOLD
HER, JET 27.

A-ANISETTE?!!

In the flesh!

NO
MATTER
WHERE
YOU RUN...

...IT'S THE
END OF
YOUR LIFE!





HOW COULD
I BE AN
ACCOMPLICE?
I'VE NEVER
EVEN MET HIM
BEFORE!!



YOU'RE
WRONG!!



ARREST
HIM,
JET 27!!
ARREST
HIM!!



JET 27,
DO YOU
HEAR ME?
HURRY,
JET 27!



IT'S LOVE AT
FIRST SIGHT!

Get it?



YOU KNOW
WHAT THE
BIGGEST
REASON IS
FOR PEOPLE
EVADING
THE TAX,
ANISSETTE?







DAMN, AN
ANGEL'S
COME TO
TAKE ME
AWAY.
LOOKS
LIKE A BIG
ONE, TOO...
GUESS I'M
A VIP.



WHAT'S
GOING
ON?



WHAT'S
THIS?

HMM?



I'LL PUT
THESE
HANDCUFFS
BACK ON
HIMI

*And tighter
this time.*



FINE. YOU
TAG ALONG
TO KEEP
HER IN
CHECK...
JET 27.





WHERE FOG
IS BORN--THE
SAMPTON
DISTRICT.



YEAH... FOR
ABOUT 13
YEARS NOW.

SO YOU'RE
SAYING THE
FOG IN TOWN
IS CREATED
HERE?

EVER SINCE
THE MASTER OF
THE SPRITZ
HOUSE LEFT.



THE
PARFAIT
D'AMOUR...
IS VERY
NARROW-
MINDED.

WITH THAT
GRAVE GET-
TING LARGER,
MY PRECIOUS
CHURCH WAS
KICKED OUT.

SO NOW THE
CHURCH AND
I LIVE AS
WANDERERS...



...AND WHEN
WE NEED TO
HIDE, WE
COME HERE.



THEY SAY
THAT THE
MASTER OF
THE HOUSE,
MONSIEUR
MANCHE...

...SO THAT
HE WOULD
BE ABLE TO
LOVE HIS
THIRD WIFE
FOREVER...



WHY DO
HUMANS GO
THAT FAR?
HUMANS
ARE SO...
STRANGE!



SPRITZ
HOUSE?!!



YEAH.
A FOG
FACTORY THAT
CREATES DILD
PARTICLES
AND SPITS
THEM OUT.

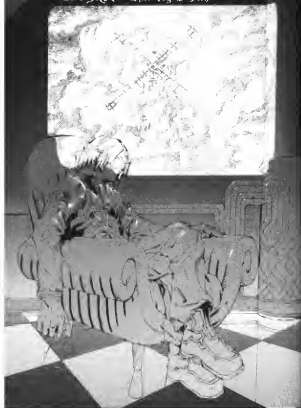


SOUNDS
LIKE A
FUN
PLACE!

I SEE...
SPRITZ
HOUSE,
EH?

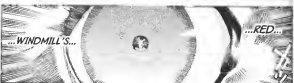


23rd SHOT - Where Fog is Born

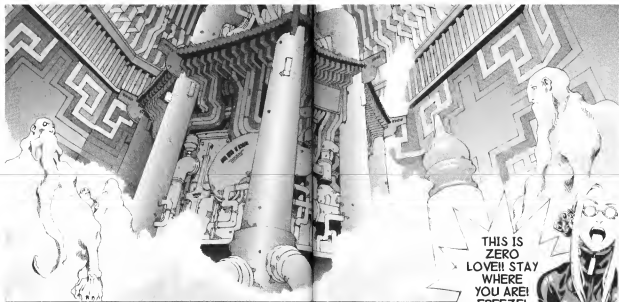


THE
SPRITZ
HOUSE!









THIS IS
ZERO
LOVE!! STAY
WHERE
YOU ARE!
FREEZE!



IT'S
USELESS! MY
GOGGLES
DON'T HELP
EITHER!

WE'LL NEVER
BE ABLE TO
FIND HIM
LIKE THIS...





NO, HE'S
HERE! I
FEEL IT!



HE ISN'T
DEAD,
IS HE?



ARE YOU
AFRAID OR
SOMETHING?
COME ON.



I...I THINK.



WHOA!



WHAT ARE
YOU ZONING
OUT FOR?
LET'S GO!



A secret
room?





HUMANS
SURE ARE
STRANGE...



WH-WH-WH-WH-
WHO'S THERE!
WERE THERE SOME
BODIES THAT
WEREN'T SOLD
EITHER?



YEAH.
EVERYTHING IN
THIS MANSION,
INCLUDING
THE CLOTHES,
WERE TAKEN
AS TAXES.



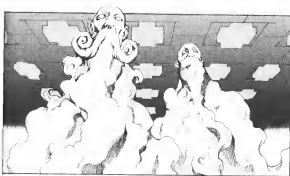
THESE
MUST ALL BE
THE DRESSES
THAT MONSIEUR
MANCHE
BOUGHT FOR
HIS THIRD
WIFE...



ALL OF
THESE?!



NOT
EVERYTHING
COULD BE
SOLD.





GET
DOWN
HERE,
BANDIT
KING!



THAT
WAS
HIM!!



OH,
HEY...
THIS...



HALT!!





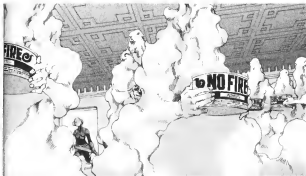
H'LO...

...ACHOOOI

ACHOOOI



G'BYE!



YOU?!!

OR YOU?!

AH...
AAH...

OR...



WH-
WHICH
ONE?!!

YOU?!!



AAH--!





HOW
STRANGE.
IT SEEMS
TO ME LIKE...

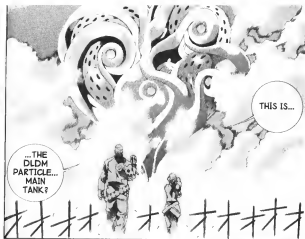
...EVERYONE
ENJOYS IT!



THERE'S
GONNA BE
ANOTHER
GREAT
PARTY
TONIGHT!



A FOGGY
NIGHT IS
ALWAYS A
PARTY!



THIS IS...

...THE
DLDM
PARTICLE...
MAIN
TANK?



THE FOG
ERASES EVEN
THE FLAME
OF LOVE?
RIGHT,
ANISETTE?



JING!! I
KNOW
YOU'RE
THERE!!

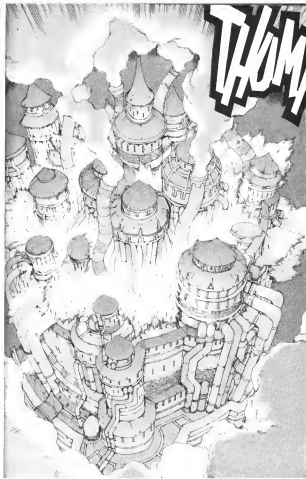
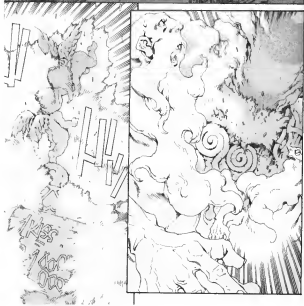
RUUUN!!!



SMACK!!!

LIGHT
MY
FIRE!!

...I know?







I'VE CAUGHT
YOU, JING.
AT THE VERY
SCENE OF
THE CRIME.



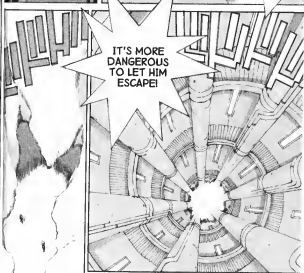
WAIT! IT'S
DANGEROUS,
ANISSETTE!



S-STOPI
T-TAX
EVADER!



TIME FOR
THE PARTY
ORGANIZER
TO HAVE HIS
OWN PRIVATE
PARTY...IN A
JAIL CELL!



IT'S MORE
DANGEROUS
TO LET HIM
ESCAPE!

Where Fog is Born - END



...I believe the ones who would be most suited for love tax collection are androids who reject all emotions of love. That's because, to collect the tax fairly, the collector must be able to treat the taxee in an objective manner. The specifics of the currently proposed androids, the Jet Series, will be explained in another report...

(Taken from notes before the Jet Series went into production)

24th SHOT - La Vie Et Rose







WHAT
IS THIS?
ANISETTE...

WARNING!!

...AS IF ALL
MY GEARS
ARE COMING
APART... THIS
FEELING...
THIS HEAT...



...ROSE
COLORED...

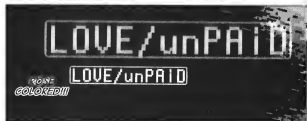
AT
THIS
RATE...



ANISETTE...
AT THIS
RATE...
ROSE-
COLORED...

EVERYTHING'S
ROSE
COLORED...

FAT
FAT



ROSE
COLORED!!!

LOVE/unPAID



OH NO...

H-HEY
HEY HEY
HEY HEY

HOLD ME
TIGHTER,
JET 27!!

OHH...
SORRY!

IT'S NO
GOOD!!
I'M LOSING
POWER...
A SURGE
IS RISING
THROUGHOUT
MY BODY...



NOW
YOU'VE
DONE
IT, JING!!
YOU'LL
PAY!!



JET
27!!

WHAT
THE--?!



KYAAA!!



IT'S
GONE!!

My lamby!



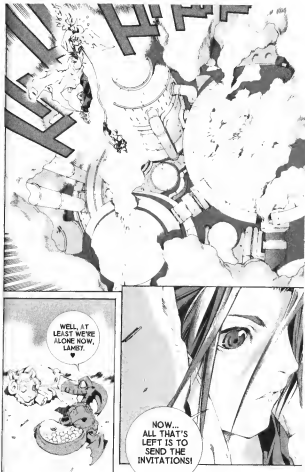
HUH?
IT WASN'T
ME...

He did it on his own



JET
27!!!

KEEP
GOING,
KIRI









OF COURSE!
BLACK
MARKET
WEDDINGS
ARE A HUGE
CRIME!!

HEY... I GUESS THIS
IS ANOTHER TAX
EVASION, JUNG

I SEE... I CAN
UNDERSTAND
A DATE OR
TWO, BUT...



I GUESS
IF YOU'RE
SWEARING LOVE
FOR ETERNITY,
YOU'D BETTER
PAY.

*Your taxes,
that is.*



COME ON!
WE CAN'T
KEEP GOD
WAITING...



SO...
THROUGH
CRUEL WINTERS
AND SWEET
SUMMERS, DO
YOU TAKE--



HEY!!
THAT'S THE
REAL COUPLE!!

MR. PRIEST

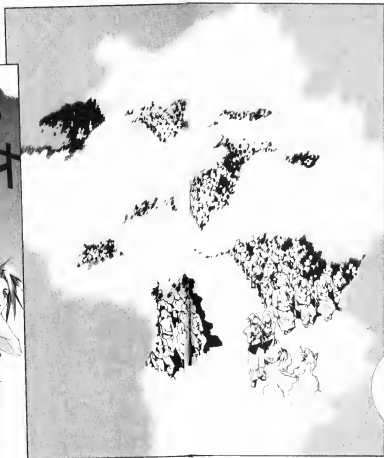
OH?



NOW
HURRY!

YOU'RE NOT
GONNA GET
ANOTHER DAY
THIS FOGGY!

*I should know... I'm
responsible for it!*



SO... THROUGH
CRUEL WINTERS
AND SWEET
SUMMERS, DO
YOU TAKE...



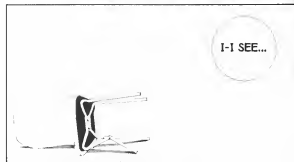


WHY'RE YOU FOLLOWING US?

ISN'T IT OBVIOUS?



THE ONLY WAY I'M GOING TO BE ABLE TO CLEAR MY NAME IS IF I DRAG YOU BACK TO HEADQUARTERS!



I-I SEE...



WHAT'S GOING ON HERE?!!



YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO STAY INDOORS TODAY!!



THIS BETTER NOT BE A BLACK MARKET WEDDING!!!

Doctor Assha

A MYSTERIOUS DOCTOR
WHO LIVES ON AN ISLAND IN
THE MIDDLE OF AQUAVITAE.
HE DOES RESEARCH INTO
MONSTER BLENDING. IT
SEEMS THE ASSHA
FAMILY PLAYS AN
IMPORTANT PART
IN THE GAME,
BUT...



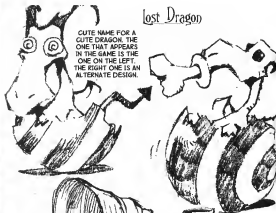
G A M E B O Y
S O F T
K I N G o f
B A N D I T
J i N G
G R A F i C S

GBソフト至ドロボウJING

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lost Dragon

CUTE NAME FOR A CUTE DRAGON, THE ONE THAT APPEARS IN THE GAME IS THE ONE ON THE LEFT, THE RIGHT ONE IS AN ALTERNATE DESIGN.

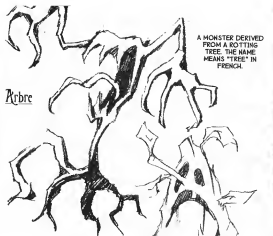


Cannon Bandit

ONE OF THE CHARACTERS THE FANS CAME UP WITH. THE THING ON HIS HEAD IS A GIANT CANNON.



Arbre



A MONSTER DERIVED FROM A ROTTING TREE. THE NAME MEANS "TREE" IN FRENCH.

Forest Gump

THE TITLE OF THE FAMOUS MOVIE TURNED INTO A MONSTER. HE'S THE EVOLVED FORM OF ARBRE, BUT IS THAT SHIELD SOMETHING HE CUT OFF HIMSELF?



Jing's "Love Tax"
Adventures Will Continue
in Volume 5!



Copycat

THIS IS ANOTHER FAN CREATION. IT'S A CAT WITH A FEARLESS EXPRESSION ON HIS FACE. UNFORTUNATELY, IN THE GAME, THIS CHARACTER DOESN'T COPY YOU, AS HIS NAME WOULD IMPLY.



Butcher Panda

A CREEPY PANDA!! NOT EXACTLY A CHARACTER THAT WOULD BECOME POPULAR. THIS WAS ANOTHER ONE SENT IN BY THE FANS.



KING OF DEADLIES 王様ロボウ JING TWILIGHT TALES

Volume 5 Preview



With the Spirit House out of control and spawning the crazy "Jet 27's" damaged body is recovered and analyzed. With information gained from it, it's determined that Rysette is in love herself, and the hunt for her and Jing intensifies. But is aware that Jing is trying to steal the Refill d'Amour; however it may be too difficult for the King of Deadlies to steal... as it was already stolen long ago by no less greater than Jing!



COLLECT THEM ALL!

But don't steal them like Jing,
Please, BUY them at a
retailer near you!



Was this poor first foray into the world of JING? Did he completely steal your heart? Well, you've come to the party late, my friend! Oodles of fans have already fueled their hunger for JING by reading JING's first series. That's right! There are 7 volumes of the previous JING King of Bandits series just waiting to fall into your eager fingers!





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